

It was at the McGibney concert and she settled into her seat with a well-bred air. We exchanged glances. "Isn't she pretty?" "Yes, but there is another thing; she knows how to deport herself in public." We looked at her closely. She was an anomaly and therefore to be looked at. Not once during the two and a half hours' recital, could her conduct have been censured by the most critical. I know absolutely nothing of her home life, but I have seen her in many public places and there was always that modest, gracious dignity that sits most charmingly upon her young shoulders.

My dear, young girl, was it you whose manners were without blemish, or do you remember that you giggled inordinately, or that you nearly dislocated your neck to see who was the last new comer, or that you persisted in talking while others were trying to catch every note of the music, or did you realize that that tantalizing whispering monologue was rasping and exasperating some body's nerves, as well as distracting attention?

It is only in school,—however, this does not apply solely to school girls—where marks punish, that you behave? Doesn't the moral or social aspect appeal to you? Do you not know that every outer action is a reflection upon your home training—upon your mother? You are not spoken of more than she is, and is your mother's good name to be bandied about, her wisdom caviled at, her discretion deprecated? Is the daughter whom she bore in anguish and suffering to put her to open shame? Dear girls, think of it that way some time. "Alas thy skipping spirit with some cold drops of modesty." Discretion offsets your beauty more than drooping hate and nodding plumes. Reserve is more sparkling than dazzling diamonds. Be gay and bright as God meant you to be. Remember you have a soul and mind and don't fritter them away with vanity, silliness and all their concomitants. Don't be a weed in the "rosebud garden of girls," but try to blossom into the fairest rose of them all.

Park's Sure Cure is a positive specific for women who are all "run down" and at certain times are troubled by back-aches, headaches, etc. Sold by W. C. Gaston.

#### What is Seigniorage?

Mr. Blund says this of the seigniorage bill: "To understand what the seigniorage means it is necessary to go into the case somewhat in detail. There is bullion enough on hand, purchased under the Sherman act, to coin \$180,000,000 of standard silver dollars. There are \$125,000,000 of Sherman notes to be redeemed, so that when the whole amount of bullion shall be coined, there will be 55,000,000 silver dollars, in round numbers, over and above the \$125,000,000 treasury notes. This surplus of \$55,000,000 is called the gain, seigniorage, and the first section of the bill provides to utilize this gain or seigniorage immediately in the payment of public expenditures, leaving \$125,000,000 as a redemption fund for the Sherman notes. These notes are redeemed in gold or silver coin, under the Sherman law, as the discretion has been exercised by the redemption of the notes in gold only.

In order to avoid this, the second section of the bill provides that after the coining of the seigniorage the remainder of the bullion shall be coined to redeem the Sherman notes, and as fast as the bullion shall be coined and held in the treasury for the redemption of the notes, when the notes become the property of the government, they shall not be redeemed, but cancelled and destroyed, and the silver dollar or the silver certificate representing silver dollars shall be issued in the place of the Sherman notes.

This, in the course of time, will convert all of the Sherman notes into a circulating medium composed of the silver dollar or the silver certificate and thus prevent these notes from being presented to the treasury and being paid out upon them. The gold standard advocates object to this because of its putting silver in circulation in place of gold—that is, silver certificates in the place of gold notes—and because it tends to the depreciation of the country's money. \$180,000,000 in excess of what we have now.

New Madrid is to have a \$7,000 cannery factory.

Springfield has secured a normal school; price \$40,000.

Work hands are offering in Putman county at 40 cents a day.

James Bryan, of Nevada, carried the flag at Daniel Boone's funeral.

Hard times have not effected the price of land in Clark county.

A good many Missouri post-offices are being moved into new locations.

During 1893 there was not a case of Texas fever among cattle in Missouri.

One side of Drexel is made of the state line between Kansas and Missouri.

The order of Odd Fellows and the state of Missouri are of the same age, 73 years.

Prof. Kilgore, a revivalist singer in Missouri, is described as a "converted pugilist."

Elaberry, which is thirteen years old, has had its first bad fire, destroying a block.

Easter, 1894, was remarkable in Missouri for wide observance and frightful cold.

The Moberly Democrat says that while the largest land owners will take no stock in the cannery factory, it will be a go.

According to the Springfield Republican, the bonds for a court house in Green county were "plowed under by the farmer vote."

In 1860 there were 1,500 yoke of working cattle in Howard county, and in 1890 according to the census there were seven yoke.

Vernon county boasts of its fine bridges, of which thirty-eight are iron and steel.

The Kansas City Medical college has just furnished Missouri with thirty-one doctors.

In the number of its manufacturing establishments Missouri is the sixth state in the union.

The De Kalb Record says that the common pokeberry is used as an anti-lat remedy.

W. A. Smith, a prominent St. Louis druggist, is going to move to his farm near Dover, Lafayette county.

The Missouri, Kansas & Texas is taking Boonville dirt to Franklino at the rate of sixty-five cents a day.

The unemployed of Hannibal went to work in the sawmill Monday and let Coxe's army go without them.

The first lawyer to locate in Bloomington, now De Kalb, was Robert M. Stewart, afterwards governor of Missouri.

Mr. J. W. Wooters of Vernon county has lost his 17-year old son. She was of a quiet disposition and bore the reputation of being a steady and consistent layer.

Dr. Ferguson, a Missouri lecturer who recently talked at Butler, is spoken of as flowery and graceful in his delivery as Beecher, and certainly more sensible and solid than Talmage.

The McDonald County News says that the panther reported in Hambrick hollow has turned out to be a large catamount. It has been seen by several persons, and occasionally picks up a pig or a sheep.

By a mistake in putting the amount \$4, instead of \$400, in a contract a mail carrier at Knob Lick, Mo., has been carrying the mail fifteen miles six times a week for a year at the rate of \$4.

A jury at Bancroft has found that a kiss is assault and battery of an aggravating character and properly punished by a fine of \$10.

Young Warner S. Terrell of Savannah, Mo., who two years ago inherited \$100,000, was at last accounts in jail at St. Joseph and without funds.

A yellow poplar on the farm of Joseph Meyer of Cape Girardeau is seven feet in diameter and retains this measurement for fifty feet up.

Frank Waite, an elderly citizen of New Canby, Macon county, who has been an invalid for more than forty years, is getting well and without treatment.

#### Mixed up Relationship.

A man named William Herman, of near Westville, Mo., committed suicide a few days ago, having gone insane over the idea that he was his own grandfather. After reading the letter by the unfortunate man he can scarcely be blamed for killing himself under the circumstances. Here is the letter: "I married a widow with a grown daughter. My father visited our house very often, fell in love with my stepdaughter and married her. So my father became my son-in-law and my stepdaughter my mother, because she was my father's wife. Sometime afterwards my wife had a son—he was my father's brother-in-law and my uncle, for he was the brother of my step-mother. My father's wife, i. e. my stepdaughter, had also a son. He was, of course, my brother, and in the meantime my grandchild, for he was the son of my daughter. My wife was my grandfather, because she was my mother's mother. I was my wife's husband and grandchild at the same time. And as the husband of a person's grandmother, I was my own grandfather."

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#### The Work of Burglars.

The Sedalia, Warsaw & Southern railway depot, at Warsaw, Mo., was entered by burglars Thursday night and the outer door of the safe blown open with dynamite. The burglars failed to gain an entrance to the inner safe, however, and got nothing for their trouble. The safe in the hardware store of Clark & Davis was also blown open and \$40 secured. An attempt was made to burglarize the post-office and the knob of the safe door was blown off, but the thieves were unable to cut the door open. All three jobs are supposed to be the work of professionals traveling through the country.

Benjamin Harrison is the only living ex-president and Levi P. Morton the only living ex-vice president of the United States. Of course Mr. Cleveland is, in a sense, an ex-president, but being a president, he loses claim to being an ex-president.

A Philadelphia paper, waxing disrespectful, says: "Billy Penn will look gay with the stars and stripes in his hand on the top of the city hall tower." The idea of even the late William Penn looking gay in Philadelphia.

GEORGE CHISM, a butcher of Mexico, Mo., has filed suit against Chief of Police Robert Kemp, of that city, for \$10,000. During the contest for the Democratic nomination for chief of police Chism alleges that Kemp said he (Chism) had served a term in the Illinois penitentiary.

On the 8th inst. a severe hail storm visited Emporia, Kansas, which caused much damage to all the windows of the city having a southern exposure. The loss was heaviest to churches that had fine stained glass windows.

#### EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

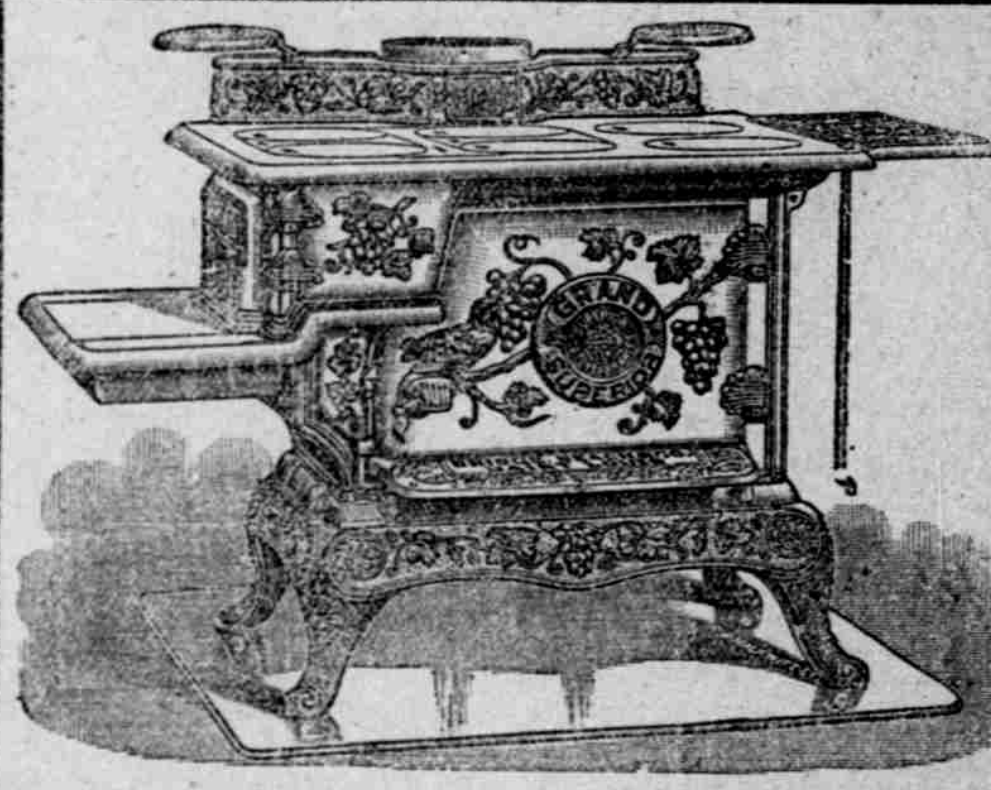
Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of H. F. Kuhlman, deceased, have been granted me by the probate court of Chariton county, bearing date February 26th, 1894. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them for allowance within one year from the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from having any benefits of said estate, and if such claims are not presented within two years they shall be forever barred.

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Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of John H. Lee, deceased, have been granted me by the probate court of Chariton county, bearing date March 9th, 1894. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them for allowance within one year from the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from having any benefits of said estate, and if such claims are not presented within two years they shall be forever barred.

#### BOYS' HATS.

Bring in your boy and get him a new style hat. You can't help being pleased as we have everything new in the hat line that is out this season for little boys from 2 to 10 years of age.

MRS. C. P. VANDIVER.

CHARITON COUNTY, organized in 1821, has had but two state officers, B. F. Stringfellow, elected attorney general in 1845, and Sterling Price, elected governor in 1852. This is a strong argument why Maj. Finks, of Salisbury, should be elected railroad commissioner.

Berlioz, the composer of many majestic musical works, never learned to play any instrument save the guitar, and played that so badly that no one would willingly listen to him.

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